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25X1ATOPIC Deutschwagram Airfield and Strasshof Military Post

25X1X EVALUATION		PLACE OBTAINED	
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25X1A REFERENCES			
PAGES	1	ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)	
REMARKS			
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1. Between 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., on 13 February 1953, there were no aircraft seen at Deutsch Wagram (P 49/S 50) airfield. There were six AA guns with flash hiders at the emplacements which were guarded by sentries wearing red bordered blue epaulets. Thirty five revetments were counted and 10 additional ones are believed to exist at the field.

2. [redacted] Ten tank trucks, [redacted] and 13 trucks [redacted] were parked in the garages of the motor vehicle park. Truck [redacted] driver wearing black bordered blue epaulets left the motor vehicle park. [redacted]

3. Solid fuels were stored in the former dispensary at Strasshof. The sentry in front of the storage area wore black bordered blue epaulets. Trucks [redacted] (driver wearing black bordered blue epaulets) and [redacted] tank truck [redacted] and ambulance [redacted] (driver wearing black bordered blue epaulets) were parked in front of a large building which was probably used as quarters. Officers and EM wearing black bordered blue epaulets were seen in front of this building. The personnel were apparently new arrivals. Soldiers wearing black bordered blue epaulets were seen in the cantonment just east of the large quartering building. Eight trucks were parked at the camp at the edge of the wood. Truck [redacted] with driver wearing red bordered black epaulets left the camp.

Comment. Deutsch Wagram airfield has not been occupied by an air unit since August 1952. The status of the AA gun emplacements and the traffic of military personnel and vehicles in Strasshof and Deutsch Wagram indicate that the airfield is probably again to be occupied by air units. The buildings referred to in paragraph 2 and 3 of the present report were entered on a previously transmitted sketch.

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